

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend, withdraw, or cancel the claims, without prejudice or waiver, as follows.

1. (currently amended): A water-using unit, comprising:
 - a treated water source integral with the unit, said treated water source comprising a reverse osmosis water treatment system including a flexible reservoir in which water treated by said reverse osmosis water treatment system is stored;
 - a host system performing host functions, said host system coupled to said treated water source; and
 - a control system coupled to and controlling operation of said treated water source and said host system.
2. (canceled)
3. (canceled)
4. (currently amended): The unit of Claim 31, and further comprising a cooling source, said reservoir located proximate in cooling proximity to said cooling source.
5. (canceled)
6. (currently amended): The unit of Claim 1, and further comprising:
 - a condenser coupled to said host system; and

reject water generated by said reverse osmosis water treatment system,

said reject water passing proximate said condenser to assist in heat removal.

7. (original): The unit of Claim 1, and further comprising:
 - a condenser coupled to said host system; and
 - inlet water, said inlet water passing proximate said condenser to assist in heat removal.
8. (original): The unit of Claim 1, wherein said host system comprises an ice making system.
9. (canceled)
10. (currently amended): The unit of Claim 98, wherein said ice making system includes a cooling source, said reservoir located proximate in cooling proximity to said cooling source.
11. (original): The unit of Claim 10, wherein said cooling source comprises an evaporator.
12. (original): The unit of Claim 10, wherein said cooling source comprises ice.
13. (original): The unit of Claim 8, wherein said control system causes water to be pulsed in said ice making system.
14. (currently amended) The unit of Claim 8, wherein ~~said treated water source includes a reservoir, and~~ water not frozen in said ice making system is returned to said reservoir.
15. (original): The unit of Claim 1, wherein said host system comprises a beverage dispensing system.
16. (canceled)

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17. (currently amended): The unit of Claim 1615, wherein said beverage dispensing system includes a cooling source, said reservoir located proximate in cooling proximity to said cooling source.
18. (currently amended): The unit of Claim 1615, wherein said beverage dispensing system includes:
 - a carbonator coupled to said reservoir, said carbonator generating carbonated water;
 - at least one supply of syrup; and
 - a plain water circuit for non-carbonated water, such that carbonated and non-carbonated beverages may be dispensed.
19. (original): The unit of Claim 18, and further comprising at least one supply of flavor, such that flavors may be added to the carbonated and non-carbonated beverages.
20. (original): A system, comprising:
 - a water-using unit including a treated water source integral with the unit and a host system performing host functions, said host system coupled to said treated water source; and
 - a separate unit remote from said water using unit, said separate unit coupled to said treated water source.
21. (original): The system of Claim 20 wherein said treated water source comprises a reverse osmosis system.
22. (original): The system of Claim 21, wherein said treated water source further comprises a reservoir coupled to said reverse osmosis system.

23. (original): The system of Claim 20 wherein said treated water source comprises a reservoir.

24. (currently amended): The system of Claim 23, and further comprising a cooling source, said reservoir located proximate in cooling proximity to said cooling source.

25. (original): The system of Claim 20, wherein said host system comprises an ice making system.

26. (original): The system of Claim 25, wherein said separate unit comprises a beverage dispenser.

27. (currently amended): The system of Claim 25, wherein:
said treated water source comprises a reservoir; and
said ice making system includes a cooling source, said reservoir located proximate in cooling proximity to said cooling source.

28. (original): The system of Claim 20, wherein said host system comprises a beverage dispensing system.

29. (original): The system of Claim 28, wherein said separate unit comprises an ice maker.

30. (original): The system of Claim 28, wherein said treated water source comprises a reverse osmosis system and a reservoir, said reservoir coupled to said beverage dispensing system.

31. (re-presented and amended – formerly dependent Claim 4): A water-using unit, comprising:

a treated water source integral with the unit, said treated water source comprising a reservoir;

a host system performing host functions, said host system coupled to said treated water source;

a control system coupled to and controlling operation of said treated water source and said host system; and

a cooling source located in cooling proximity to said reservoir.
